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FOR: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR : Examiner: Ali Bayat  
USING PATTERN VECTORS FOR :  
VIDEO AND IMAGE CODING AND  
DECODING :  
MAIL STOP: Amendment

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AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to a telephone conference with Examiner Bayat on November 27, 2006,  
please amend the above-identified utility patent application as provided herein.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.